Regional Office of the Anthropological Survey of India

2700. SHRI GAYA CHAND BHU YAN; Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) what are the criteria for the establishment of Regional Office of the Anthropological Survey of India;

(b) whether Orissa, which is predomonantly tribal majority State, does not fulfil the above criteria;

(c) whether Government propose to set a regional office of the Anthropological Survey of India in Orissa; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL AND TRAINING, ADMINISTRATIVE REFORMS AND PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSION AND IN THE DEPARTMENT OF CULTURE (SHRI K. P. SINGH DEO): (a) The criterion is to 'ish effices on regional basis at a central place for the States in the region.

(b) Orissa is covered by the Eastern Regional Office of the Anthropological Survey of India at Calcutta.

(c) There is no such proposal at present.

(d) Does not arise.

Nations] Institute for Research on Jainism and Budhism

2701. SHRI GAYA CHAND BHU YAN; Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government consider to establish a national institute to under-' take research studies on Jainism and Budhism in Orissa;

(b) what action Government have taken to reserve the Jain and Budhist sculptures and monuments in Orissa; and

(c) if no action has been taken, what -are the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL AND TRAINING, ADMINISTRATIVE REFORMS AND PUB LIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSION AND IN THE DEPARTMENT OF CULTURE (SHRI K. P. SINGH DEO): (a) There is no proposal to establish, a national institute for research in Jainism or Budhism in Orissa.

(b) The rock-cut Jain Caves at Udaya-giri and Khandagiri, District Puri and the Buddhist structures at Lalitgiri, Udayagiri and Ratnagiri District Cuttack have been taken under the protection of the Government of India and declared as monuments of Natonal Importance, A museum at Ratnagiri to house the sculptures excavated from the Buddhist site is under construction. Meanwhile, the sculptures are kept in safe custody in the sculpture-sheds at the site of Lalitgiri.

(c) Does not arise.

Communal riots

2702. SHRI SYED AHMAD HASHMI: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) the number of places where communal riots took place during the last six months from February to July, 1985;

(b) the total loss of life, property and persons injured in each, incident;

(c) the number of persons arrested and prosecuted in each of the above cases;

(d) the extent and nature of relief and rehabilitation measures undertaken in each case; and

(e) what action has been taken by Government to prevent such incidents in future?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRIMATI RAM DULARI SINHA): (a) to (d) A statement on the basis of the information available, is attached herewith.

(e) The necessity of maintaining communal harmony and public order has been time and again stressed on the State Governments. Suggestions have been made to them to streamline the administrative and intelligence machinery and for measures like arrest of anti-social elements, search and seizure for the recovery of arms and ammunition and action against the elements inciting commu-nalism. Central force have also been made available to the States as and when requests f°r the same are made.

Statement

Name of the State which witnessed communal riots during the period February to July, 1985	No. of persons killed	No. of persons injured	Total loss of property	No. of persons arrested and prosecuted	Extent of and nature of relief provided
1	2	3	4	5	6
Andhra Pradesh Tandur-R.R. District-10 to 12-2-85.	Nil	23	Rs. 10 lakhs	Arrested 105	Rs. 1,05,200
Andhra Pradesh Sultan Shahi and other areas of Hyderabad city 8 to 11-3-85	6	19	Rs. 38,400	Not available	Rs. 53,000
Andhra Pradesh Nat raj Nagar and other areas of Hyderabad city-21 to 26-3-85	4	14	Rs. 15,000	Not available	Rs. 41,000
Gujarat till 23-7-85 .	237	1801	Rs. 589.29 (till 15-7-85)	14,747 arrested	Rs. 58 lakhs (Till May'85)
Uttar Pradesh Saharanpur—22-7-85	5	26	30 shops and few vehicles	618 arrested	Rs. 74,000 (upto 26-7-85).

Hoidings of Sports Tournament in U.K. in the names of Beant Singh and Satwant Singh

2703. SHRI F. M. KHAN. Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government of India have received reports that the British Government had allowed to hold three-day sports tournament which started on the 28th July, 1985 in the names of Beant Singh and Satwant Singh alleged assassins of late Prime Minister Shrirnati Indira Gandhi; and

(b) If so, what is the reaction of the Government of India in the matter and action taken in regard thereto?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRI KHURSHID ALAM KHAN):

(a) Government have received reports that a section of the International Sikh Youth Federation in the U.K. succeeded in getting the sports tournament organised in th© name of Shaheed Udham Singh changed to "Shaheed Beant Singh and Jinda Shaheed Satwant Singh Tournament". This tournament was held in the West Mid-lands on the 27th July, 1985. The U.K. Government intervened with the local authorities and Smithwick Council, in whose stadium the tournament was held, and persuaded the promoters of the tournament to drop the names of the assassins of Smt. Indira Gandhi from the banner*